

RE: GE stormwater (Linda)

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Cc: 'GAINER Tom', TARNOW Karen E

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I agree with Linda as long as the storm events meet the criteria in the FSP.

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Subject RE: GE stormwater

Given that the LWG study will be extended through June, it makes sense for GE to do the same. As far as the rest of the summer for this site, it seems as though it should parallel the LWG approach, which may resume in the fall. The current NPDES permit does not limit the months, other than requiring that samples are 60 days apart. The new permit, which will require 4 sampling events, specifies that two samples be collected between 7/1 and 12/31 and two between 1/1 and 6/30, with all samples being at least 14 days apart.

With that being said, I don't see any reason to limit the months for site screening evaluation samples at other sites.

----Original Message-----

From: GAINER Tom [mailto:GAINER.Tom@deg.state.or.us]

Sent: Wednesday, May 30, 2007 9:21 AM

To: TARNOW Karen E; koch.kristine@epa.gov; Scheffler, Linda

Subject: GE stormwater

GE has collected one composite stormwater sample from a qualifying storm to date this spring. They mentioned that the stormwater season was defined October-May, but we agreed that they should attempt to sample during June as well. Please let me know if you have concerns with this plan, and if there are certain months during the summer that we do not want GE or other Portland Harbor PRPs to collect SW samples.

Thanks-

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